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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Stage of International Application No.: PCT/FR98/01817 of:))
Christine DUPUIS, et al.)
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For: COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING AN AQUEOUS POLYMER DISPERSION AND A DISILANOL SILICONE EMULSION AND PROCESS	TECH CENTER TOUGHERS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-17 without prejudice or disclaimer, and insert claims 18-45 as follows:

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